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In re Application of: **M. Zhang**

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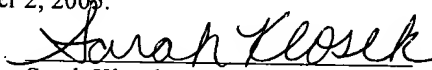
For: **USE OF LITHIUM BORATE IN NON-AQUEOUS
RECHARGEABLE LITHIUM BATTERIES**

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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed May 3, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are being submitted by the Applicant for consideration by the Examiner.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

A **DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132** by Dr. Ulrich von Sacken is also enclosed. It is noted that Appendix 6 of the Declaration is a copy of page 2 and is provided to give a clearer image of the photo on page 2.